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Jurgen Wolfrum et al.)	FOR: METHOD AND DEVICE TO
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Serial No.: 09/669,236)	
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Filed: September 25, 2000)	Art Unit: Unknown

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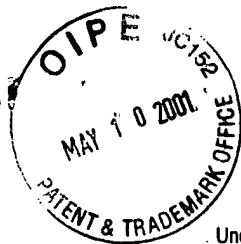
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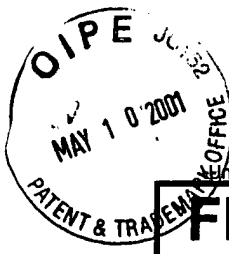
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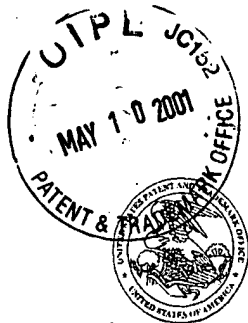
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